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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-28-54Call letters K.T.U.N.SEE CARD #2Station Location: Tulia, Texas

W.A. AMBURN and DORIS AMBURN (BAL 3-15-63) EFF: 3-21-63)

x KTUE RADIO, INC. (AL-11-19-58) EFF: 12-2-58

EFF: 4-1-57)

x CLINT FORMBY AND MARSHALL FORMBY, d/b as KTUE BROADCASTERS (AL 3-13-57; 3-9-54)

x CLINT FORMBY AND MARSHALL FORMBY d/b as TULIA BROADCASTERS (AP 2-17-54 EFF)

Name of licensee x CLINT FORMBY tr/as TULIA BROADCASTING COMPANYTransmitter location 1.25
1.5 miles SW of Tulia Court House, Tulia, Texas (CP & MP 6-4-54)
(Lic. 12-28-54)

1.25-1.5 mi. SE of Tulia Courthouse, Tulia, Tex. (BS 6 2-6-64) (Eff: 1-17-64)

x 110 North Armstrong, Tulia, Texas (Lic. 12-28-54)

x 108 Armstrong Street, Tulia, Texas (BRC-504)

Main studio location x 1.5 miles SW of Tulia Court House, Tulia, Texas (CP & MP 6-4-54)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To--
BP-8595 Ltr.	12-30-53 1-5-54	1260	1kw	Day	
---	subl. filing MP approval of ant. & trans. site. ---				
BAP-229 EFF:	2-17-54 3-9-54	Vol. assignment of CP to CLINT FORMBY AND MARSHALL FORMBY d/b as TULIA BROADCASTERS			
BP-8595 BMP-6494	6-4-54	1260	1kw	Day	8-4 2-4-55
	C.P. for a new Standard Broadcast Station and MP for approv. ant. and T&S sites				
BRC-504 (1)	8-30-54	Modification of construction permit to operate transmitter by remote control from 108 Armstrong Street, Tulia, Texas			
BL-5533	12-28-54	1260kc	1kw	Day (RC)	12-28-54 8-1-56
	Lic. cover CP(8595, as mod.) for new station				
BR-3054	7-11-56	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-59
BAL-2586 EFF:	3-13-57 4-1-57	Vol. assignment of license to CLINT FORMBY AND MARSHALL FORMBY, d/b as KTUE BROADCASTERS.			
BAL-3186 EFF:	11-19-58 12-1-58	Voluntary assignment of license to KTUE Radio, Inc.			
BTC-3084 EFF:	4-2-59 4-1-59	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of licensee corporation by each Marshall Formby and Clint Formby thru sale of stock to Lee McKinney			
	7-29-59	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-3054	10-21-59	1260	1kw	Day (RC)	10-21 8-1-62
BTC-3696 EFF:	5-3-61 5-4-61	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Marshall Formby, Clint Formby and Graddy Tunnell to W. A. Amburn, Geo. J. Jennings, Jr. and Sidney G. Hooper.			
BTC-3964 EFF:	2-15-62 3-1-62	Vol. acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by W. A. Amburn and Doris Amburn (As A Family Group) thru purchase of stock by Doris Amburn from sidney G. Hooper			

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters KTUEStation location TULIA, TEXAS

JMcC BROADCASTING, INC. (AL7-25-80, EFF:8-1-80)
*CARDIFF BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL 11-27-78 EFF:12-1-78)
*CARDIFF INDUSTRIES, INC. (AL 11-27-78 EFF: 12-1-78)

* W. A. AMBURN and DORIS AMBURN (BAL 3-15-63, Eff: 3-21-63)

Name of licensee *KTUE RADIO, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
	7-25-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-3054	3-15-63	Renewal of license			3-15 8-1-65
BAL-4594 EFF	3-15-63 3-21-63	Voluntary assignment of license to W. A. Amburn and Doris Amburn			
BS-3054	2-6-64	1260kc 1kw (Day)			2-6 8-1-65
		Mod. of Lic. to chg. studio loc. & delete RC oper.			
BS-3054	3-11-64	Mod. lic. redescribe antenna system.			
BR-3054	7-12-65	1260kc 1kw Day			8-1 8-1-68
BZ-6375 (1)	4-13-67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.			
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA 394w			
BR-3054(L)	7-31-68	RENEWAL			8-1-71
BR-3054(S)	7-29-71	RENEWAL			8-1-74
WEBSA	6-12-72				
BR-3054	7-31-74	(L) RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-77
BR-3054(L)	7-29-77	RENEWAL			8-1-80
BAL780911EC	11-27-78	VOL. AL		EFF: 12-1-78	
BAL781108EC	11-27-78	VOL. AL		EFF: 12-1-78	
BR-3054 (L)	7-29-77	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-80
Superseded to correct coordinates, SL & TL.					
BAL800508HS	7-25-80	VOL AL.		EFF:	8-1-80
BR 800401 Y1	7-24-80	(L) RENEWAL			8-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name CLINT FORMBY tr/as TULIA BROADCASTING COMPANY
PO % CLINT FORMBY, BOX 868, Hereford, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-8595	8-25-52	Construction permit for a new standard broad- cast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1320ke 1260ke Power: 1kw Hours of Operation: Daytime Trans. Location: To be determined Tulia, Texas Studio Location: To be determined Tulia, Texas	GRANTED	12-30-53
Rec'd	8-27-52		DOCKET NO. 10411	
Filed	8-27-52		REMOVED FROM HEARING	
			Grs. subj. filing MP	
			approval of site.	
			Ltr. 1-5-54	
			Issued with MP-6494	
AMENDED	10-26-53	W. O. Stewart, Engr. AMENDED to change frequency to 1260ke.		
Rec'd	10-30-53			
Filed	11-13-53			

RCA BTA 1L 1kw

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FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

Name **CLINT FORMBY AND MARSHALL FORMBY d/b as TULIA BROADCASTERS**
xCLINT FORMBY tr/as TULIA BROADCASTING COMPANY

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAP-229 Rec'd Filed	1-21-54 1-25-54 1-25-54	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to Clint Formby and Marshall Formby d/b as Tulia Broadcasters.	GRANTED EFF:	2-17-54 3-9-54
BMP-6494 Rec'd Filed	3-28-54 4-2-54 4-2-54	Modification of construction permit (BP-8595, which auth. a new standard broadcast station) for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio location as 1.5 miles SW of Tulia Court House, Tulia, Texas Stewart & Stewart, Engrs.	GRANTED	6-4-54
BRC-504 Rec'd Filed	8-19-54 8-23-54 8-23-54	Modification of construction permit to operate transmitter by remote control from 108 Armstrong Street, Tulia, Texas	GRANTED	8-30-54

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FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

CLINT FORMBY AND MARSHALL FORMBY, d/b as KTUE BROADCASTERS

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-5533	11-17-54	License to cover construction permit (BP-8595, as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	12-28-54
Rec'd	11-19-54			
Filed	11-19-54			
BR-3054	5-1-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-11-56
Rec'd	5-4-56			
Filed	5-4-56			
BAL-2586	2-19-57	Voluntary assignment of license to Clint Formby and Marshall Formby, d/b as KTUE Broadcasters.	GRANTED EFF:	3-13-57 4-1-57
Rec'd	2-25-57			
Filed	2-25-57			

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-3186	9-17-58	Voluntary assignment of license to KTUE Radio, Inc.	GRANTED EFF:	11-19-58
Rec'd.	9-25-58			12-1-58
Filed	9-25-58			
BTC-3084	1-30-59	Voluntary relinquishment of negative control of licensee corporation by each Marshall Formby and Clint Formby thru sale of stock to Lee McKinney.	RETURNED	2-20-59
Rec'd.	2-19-59		transferred & transferee	
Resub.	3-20-59		wrong	
R. & F.	3-27-59		GRANTED	4-2-59
			EFF:	4-1-59
BR-3054	4-30-59	Renewal of license	GRANTED	10-21-59
Rec'd & Filed	5-7-59			
BTC-3696	2-3-61	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Marshall Formby, Clint Formby and Graddy Tunnell to W. A. Amburn, Geo. J. Jennings, Jr. and Sidney G. Hooper.	RETURNED	2-14-61
Rec'd	2-6-61		Licensee's sect. filed	
Resub.	2-17-61		by transferee	
Rec'd	2-24-61		GRANTED	5-3-61
Filed	2-24-61		EFF:	5-4-61

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Name W. A. AMBURN AND DORIS AMBURN
XKTUE RADIO, INC.
TULIA, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-3964 Rec'd Filed	1-24-62 1-29-62 1-29-62	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of licensee corporation by W. A. Amburn and Doris Amburn (As A Family Group) thru purchase of stock by Doris Amburn from Sidney G. Hooper..	GRANTED EFF:	2-15-62 3-1-62
BR 3054 Rec'd Filed	5-1-62 5-7-62 5-7-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-15-63
BAL-4594 Rec'd Filed	8-10-62 8-13-62 8-13-62	Voluntary assignment of license to W. A. Amburn and Doris Amburn.	GRANTED: EFF:	3-15-63 3-21-63
BR-3054 Rec'd Filed	5-1-65 5-7-65 5-7-65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-12-65

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Aug. 1955

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Name W. A. AMBURN AND DORIS AMBURN
Tulia, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-6375 R & F	2/28/67 3/1/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power.	GRANTED	4-13-67
BR-3054 R. & F. #426161 \$75 MAY 31 1968	5-1-68 5-3-68 5-3-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-31-68
BR-3054 R & F PN Press MAY 26 1971	5-3-71 5-5-71 5-5-71	Renewal of License AMENDED 6-28-71 re: programming; comm. policy	GRANTED	7-29-71
BR-3054 R & F P.N. PRESS MAY 14 1974	5-3-74 5-6-74 5-6-75	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-31-74

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May 1976

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8-54 CARDIFF BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

xCARDIFF INDUSTRIES, INC.

Name x W.A. AMBURN and DORIS AMBURN
TULIA, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3054 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-26-77 3-31-77 " APR 18 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-29-77
BAL780911EC Form 314 PN FILED	SEP 20 1977 9-25-78	Vol AL to CARDIFF INDUSTRIES, INC. MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GR. OF BAL781108EC* (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	11-27-78 12-1-78
BAL781108EC Form 316 PRESS	11-6-78 NOV 12 1978	Vol. AL to *CARDIFF BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. MUTUALLY CONTINGENT OF GRANT OF BAL780911EC	GRANTED EFF:	11-27-78 12-1-78
BR800401Y1 PRESS	MAY 05 1980	Renewal of License Atty.: Stuart A. Shoreinstein	EV GRANTED	7-24-80 7-24-80

RE: BAL EC - Assignee is parent of KRDF-FM; Utah corp
Cert of Auth for Texas nec.???

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

JMcC BROADCASTING, INC.

Call Letters: K T U E

Name: xxCARDIFF BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

Station Location: TULIA, TEXAS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BAL800508HS FORM 314 PRESS PN	MAY 29 1980	Voluntary AL to JMcC Broadcasting, Inc. Atty: Assignee: John Wells King (Haley, Bader & Potts) Assignor: Stuart A. Shoreinstein (Mahl, Friedman & Leeds)	GRANTED 7-25-80 EFF:8-1-80

BAL800508HS AMENDED 5-29-80 re: Financial data.

AMENDED 7-1-80 re: Financial data, programming data.

P O. Box 227

5-29-80

Tulia, Texas 79088

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

